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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

FROM: DCI Advisory Commission on Multidisciplinary
Counterintelligence Analysis

Background

1. In June 1983 the Senate Oversight Committee directed the DCI to prepare an "in-depth report on how best to meet the needs of the United States Government for multidisciplinary counterintelligence analysis." At the same time the DCI was also instructed by the Committee to constitute a small advisory commission to work with the intelligence community to develop a clear and coherent definition of multidisciplinary counterintelligence analysis requirements and frame practical recommendations for meeting those requirements. In conformance with those directions in August of 1983, the Intelligence Community Staff began canvassing the Community for its views on the subject and the DCI in consultation with the Secretary of Defense and the Director of the FBI created the Advisory Commission on Multidisciplinary Counterintelligence Analysis, hereinafter called the Commission.

The Commission and Its Perspective

2. The Commission is composed of a chairman and three members. The Chairman is a former senior CIA official now serving as a consultant to the DCI and conversant, therefore, with developments in the Intelligence

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